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Docket No.: 03500.013000.

YOSHIHIRO ISHIDA ET AL.

Appln. No.: 09/164,624

Examiner: Lin Ye

Filed: October 1, 1998

Group Art Unit: 2612 ✓

For: MONITORING SYSTEM APPARATUS
AND PROCESSING METHOD (As Amended)

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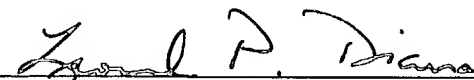
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to continued examination on the merits, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) being filed herewith, Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows. The claim amendments are reflected in the listing that begins at page 2. The Remarks begin at page 7.

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